

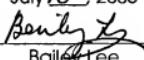
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Sir:

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Also enclosed is a copy of the PCT Search Report.

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BLAST results enclosed:

The undersigned also wishes to bring to the attention of the Examiner BLAST results of computerized alignments of the ~~against~~ sequences contained in the nucleotide and protein databases. The BLAST results are provided in paper form and are identified as reference "BLAST Results A-1- A-0" (nucleotide) and "BLAST Results B-1 - B-0" (protein) on the PTO Form 1449. Applicant requests that these references also be considered and that the Form 1449 be initialed to indicate the Examiner's consideration of the references.

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